

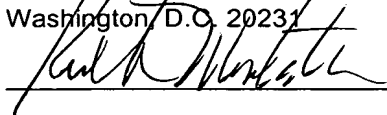
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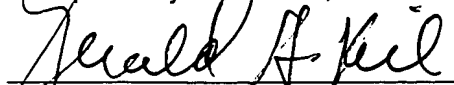
Sir:

Enclosed is a Preliminary Amendment for the above-identified application.

THE FILING FEE HAS BEEN CALCULATED AS SHOWN BELOW:						
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	EXTRA		LARGE	AMOUNT
Total Claims	19	8	0	X	\$ 18.00	\$ 0
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Applicants respectfully submit that no additional filing fee for the claims is due. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees required in connection with this submission or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No: 50-1529.

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-identified application on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**IN THE DRAWINGS:**

Please delete the figure originally submitted in this application and substitute therefor the attached corrected Figure 1.